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SUBJECT: PROPOSED NEW DOMINICAN AMBASSADOR TO US

1. DOMINICAN PROTOCOL CHIEF, AMBASSADOR NADAL, CALLED ME TO ASK THAT I CONVEY REQUEST FOR AGREEMENT SOONEST FOR DR. HORACIO VICIOSO SOTO AS THE NEXT DOMINICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE US, VICE DR. SALVADOR ORTIZ.

2. DR. VICIOSO SOTO WAS BORN ON AUGUST 28, 1915 AND HAS HAD A DISTINGUISHED DIPLOMATIC CAREER SINCE 1941. HE HAS SERVED AT WASHINGTON PREVIOUSLY AS SECOND SECRETARY (1941-43) AND AS MINISTER (1953-58). HE SERVED AS DOMINICAN AMBASSADOT TO MEXICO (1958-1959) AND TO DENMARK (1961-1962). DR. VICIOSO SOTO HAS ALSO SERVED AS DEPUTY FONSEC (1948-1951) AND AS FOREIGN SECRETARY (1965. HE IS CURRENTLY SERVING AS LEGAL ADVISOR TO THE FONOFF WITH RANK OF AMBASSADOR.

3. A VERY TALL, DISTINGUISHED LOOKING GENTLEMAN, DR. VICIOSO SOTO IS VERY FRIENDLY TOWARD THE US AND POSSESSES AN EXTRA-ORDINARILY PLEASANT AND GRACIOUS PERSONALITY. HE IS A SERIOUS, HARD-WORKING INDIVIDUAL WHO SPEAKS ENGLISH, FRENCH, PORTUGUESE AS WELL AS SPANISH. HE IS MARRIED TO REBECA GALAN DE VICIOSO, AN ATTRACTIVE LADY OF CONSIDERABLE CHARM. THEY HAVE FOUR CHILDREN.

4. COMMENT: DR. HORACIO VICIOSO SOTO IS AN EXCELLENT CHOICE. I RECOMMEND THAT AGREEMENT BE GIVEN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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